

at a perpendicular axes or at a crosspiece (9, 10), on the one hand, to the secondary coupling chassis (2A or 2B) and, on the other hand, to the upper part and in the vicinity of one of the sides of the main coupling chassis (1).

In Claim 3, please substitute the claim as follows:

3. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 2, wherein said mechanisms connecting each secondary coupling chassis (2A, 2B) to the main coupling chassis (1) further comprise a connecting rod or tie rod (11) extending parallel to the beam (8) preferably above said rod and comprising, with this beam, large sides of a deformable parallelogram arranged in a vertical plane.

In Claim 4, please substitute the claim as follows:

4. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 2, wherein pivoting movements of each carrier arm (7) in the vertical plane are obtained by means of a jack (17) arranged below the arm and connected, by means of ends and by means of joints (18, 19), to the main coupling chassis (1) and to the beam (8).

In Claim 5, please substitute the claim as follows:

5. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 2, wherein said mechanisms connecting each secondary coupling chassis (2A, 2B) to the main coupling chassis (1) also comprise a connecting rod or tie rod (14) extending parallel to the beam (8) and laterally relative to said beam, this connecting rod or tie rod comprising, with the beam, the large sides of a deformable parallelogram arranged in a plane perpendicular to the vertical plane.

In Claim 6, please substitute the claim as follows:

6. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 2, wherein said pivoting movements of the carrier arm (7) in the plane perpendicular to the vertical plane are obtained by means of a jack (20) arranged laterally relative to the arm and connected, by means of its ends and by means of joints (21, 22), to the main coupling chassis (1) and to the beam (8).

In Claim 7, please substitute the claim as follows:

7. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 4, wherein said jacks (17, 20) are connected to the beam (8) and to the main coupling chassis (1) by means of ball-and-socket joints (12, 13; 21, 22).

(In Claim 8, please substitute the claim as follows:)

8. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 1, wherein each secondary coupling chassis (2A, 2B) is comprised of a detector (23) oriented downwards to control the position, relative to the ground, of the assembly comprised of this secondary coupling chassis and the machine installed, said detector or sensor (23) monitoring a height of this assembly by means of the electro distributor of an appropriate hydraulic circuit.

(In Claim 9, please substitute the claim as follows:)

9. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 1, wherein each secondary coupling chassis (2A, 2B) is comprised of a hydraulic motor (24) having an output shaft (25) that is comprised of a coupling instrument similar to the power take-off shaft of a farm tractor.

(In Claim 10, please substitute the claim as follows:)

10. (Amended) Removable universal tool-holder according to claim 1, further comprising mechanisms (28-29; 30-31) that allow the mounting of removable stands (27A, 27B) for resting when separated from the straddling vineyard tractor.

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